

Town Talk

MOVING PICTURE FUNNY.



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THE WEATHER.

West Virginia—Cloudy and warmer tonight; Thursday probably showers.
Local Readings.
F. P. Hall, Ob.
Temperature at 8 a. m. today, 55.
Yesterday's weather, clear; temperature, maximum, 74; minimum, 43; precipitation, .15.

EVENTS TONIGHT.

Y. M. C. A.—Meeting of Marion County Medical Society.
Grace Lutheran church—Congregation at meeting at 7:30.
Odd Fellows hall—Palatine Lodge, I. O. O. F.
K. of P. hall—Fairmont Camp, Royal Arcanum.
Modern Woodmen hall—Fairmont Lodge, A. O. U. W.
115 Main street—Fairmont Lodge, L. O. of M.

Fair a Success—A splendid success was the fair and festival held by the congregation of St. Anthony's Catholic church at the recreation room at Grant Town last night. Upwards of fifty people from Fairmont were present for the affair. An excellent chicken supper was served to two hundred people including residents of Grant Town and nearby towns. The fair will continue this evening when a number of fancy articles will be disposed of. No supper will be served this evening, however.

Elks at Mannington—A big delegation of local Elks will go to Mannington tonight for the last night of the big Elks' circus there, leaving Fairmont on the seven o'clock car and returning to this city on a car which will be held for them at Mannington. A meeting was held in the Elks' hall last night and it was suggested that as many as possible of the Fairmont lodge go since Mannington Elks had always been particularly quick in responding to similar affairs held in Fairmont.

Writ Allowed—In the Supreme Court at Charleston yesterday a writ of error was allowed in the Marion county case of Fleming against the Monongahela Railway company.

Permanent Fairmont Fair—A "Made in Fairmont" exhibit, which will bring together a sample of all the hundreds of things made in the city, is being planned. It is believed an exhibit of this kind, if made a permanent thing, would do much to bring the importance of the city's industrial and manufacturing importance to public attention.

Neely Back to Capital—Congressman M. M. Neely left last evening for Washington where he will be present in Congress today. Mr. Neely has been in Fairmont the past few days attending to important matters.

In New York—General Manager E. B. Moore, of the Monongahela Valley Traction company, is in New York City today on business.

Rates Up at Morgantown—Announcement was made in Morgantown this morning that the West Virginia Traction and Electric company would raise rates on natural gas. The rates will be 25 cents for the first 250,000 feet, 20 cents for the second 250,000, 15 cents for the next and all over 750,000 at 15 cents. The natural gas rate in Fairmont is from 21 cents down to 5 cents on the same scale.

Western Union Signs—Lettering was placed on the windows and the interior of the room decorated in the new quarters of the Western Union Telegraph and Cable company today. Everything is being finished up on schedule and the quarters will be occupied the latter part of the week.

Thirty Union Painters—A local organization of painters, decorators and paper hangers, to be affiliated with the American Federation of Labor, was formed at a meeting in the Trades Council hall last night, 30 men being present and becoming charter members of the local. Meetings will be held every Tuesday night until May 1, after which the 1st and 3d Tuesday evenings of each month will be the meeting dates.

Visiting Daughter—Mrs. Henry M. Pittsburgh with her daughter, Sister M. de Chantal, at Ursuline Academy.

Train Riders Caught—Six men caught riding freight trains into Fairmont yard were arrested last night by Baltimore and Ohio Officer Boland and escorted at the point of a revolver to police station. After some short stay behind the bars they were turned loose. They gave their names as Tom Hensen, James Tracy, Lee Paul, Ernest Speak, James Murray and C. Henington. The men claimed

they were on their way east to get work.

Fined \$50—Tom Masua charged carrying a black jack was sentenced to serve six months in jail and pay a fine of \$50 by Justice of the Peace J. Lane Parrish of Worthington, yesterday. Masua is in the county jail serving his time.

Today's Legal Transfers—F. C. Sturm and wife to J. D. Charlton, 72 acres in Lincoln district; consideration \$1,000. Harry Shaw, special commissioner, to F. S. Bock, a parcel of land in Monongah; consideration, \$130. H. L. Sturm et al. to F. C. Sturm, the Sewickley coal underlying a parcel of land in Lincoln district; \$1,000. Harry Shaw, special commissioner, to I. Punt, five parcels in Eighth ward of Fairmont; \$1,283. Cyrus C. Riggs and wife to M. F. Holbert, two lots in Martin addition to Monongah; consideration, \$1,250. Harry Shaw, special commissioner, to Maggie Bock, a parcel of land in Northview addition to Farmington; consideration, \$615.

Marriage Licenses—Marriage licenses were issued to the following couples at the county clerk's office today: Edgar R. Taylor, age 26, of Keyser, and Beatrice Sluder, age 29, of Fairmont. Charles W. Toothman, age 26, of Barrackville, and Nellie King, age 24, of Fairmont.

City Hall Notes

The East Side fire department was called to the James Meserve stable on Ferry street this morning at 10:55 a. m. A fire there, the origin which has not been determined, threatened two mules but these animals were got in safety. The blaze was easily extinguished.

William Meuser, of the Concrete Steel Engineering company of New York, after submitting several designs for the Coal Run bridge, left yesterday afternoon for Akron, O. E. H. Harder resident engineer of the company, will remain here. The City Board of Affairs after viewing the plans decided that each design had certain features that all combined into one bridge would satisfy them. With this idea in mind Mr. Meuser will work on the details and return to the city in a few days.

COAL MEN BEFORE TRADE COMMISSION

President Jenkins and Secretary Lawson to Give Evidence.

President C. H. Jenkins and Secretary D. R. Lawson, of the Central West Virginia Coal Operators' Association, are in Washington today appearing before a session of the Federal Trade Commission which is investigating the bituminous coal industry. Several other prominent West Virginia coal men are also in Washington.

It was alleged before the commission some time ago that unfair and discriminatory tactics had been practiced by some of the large operating concerns against smaller ones, and that to a certain extent an agreement looking toward price fixing had been in effect. It was to determine the truth of these allegations that the hearing is being held and men representing the coal business from all parts of the country are testifying to the conditions of the industry.

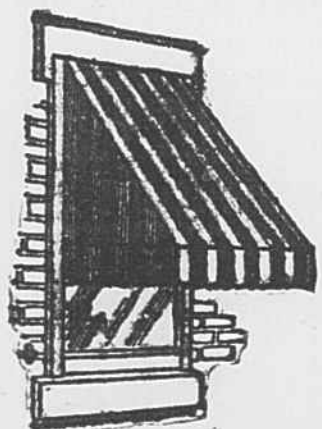
For the past several days Secretary Lawson has been busy preparing charts and tables which will be used at the hearing today and which graphically portray the various factors of production in the Central West Virginia district.

Another State Calls Boys to the Farms

(By Associated Press)
HARRISBURG, Pa., Apr. 18.—The State Board of Education today issued a general call to school authorities throughout the state to interest pupils to aid others in gardening and raising of food stuffs. It was suggested all possible steps be taken to encourage agriculture.

WILSON VISITS CONGRESS.
WASHINGTON, D. C., Apr. 18.—President Wilson went to the Capitol today for conferences with congressional leaders on the administration army bill and other measures.

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CAPITAL ELECTION WAS RIOT OF FRAUD

Thirty Men Arrested in Charleston for Vote Buying.

CHARLESTON, April 18.—A special grand jury is expected to be called in intermediate court here to investigate alleged open violations of the election laws practiced in the municipal election held Monday. While many arrests were made none of the accused have been given a hearing yet. Some of these will be held Thursday in police court, and the others will be held before justices of the peace. Dr. George A. MacQueen, Democrat, was elected Mayor of Charleston by a majority of 754 over J. Frank Hudson, Republican, and Thomas Swinburn, Socialist, in one of the most sensational city elections ever held in the city. About thirty men, several well known throughout the state, were arrested for violating the election laws by buying votes. James Callison, Democrat, was selected City Treasurer over H. Platt Brightwell, Republican, by a majority of 422, and a fight over the enforcement of a jitney bus ordinance resulted in defeat for opposition to the ordinance by a vote of 937.

New members of the City Council were elected as follows: N. M. Bowles, Republican; T. S. Richardson, Democrat; W. A. Foster, Democrat; J. L. Ritter, Democrat; Joseph Popp, Democrat; W. D. Lewis, Democrat; LeRoy Allebach, Republican; C. A. Midelburg, Republican; Claude A. Sullivan, Democrat; Leo Loebe and L. O. Emerick, both Democrats. The Council is now divided, with each party having 10 members.

The following arrests were made: Robert Brawley, former Democrat chief of police; Ernest Ford, W. H. Salisbury, Clinton Pauley, L. B. Goff, Herman Uhlman, Cyrus Phillips, Alex Wallace, Sherman Coven, P. Wells Tucker Pridemore, present Republican city jailer; Grant Edens, E. V. McDaniels, Dick Harless, Alfred Huff, Ira Ellis, Mike Foley, Joel Temple, former chairman of the Democratic City committee; Claude Huff, Emmett Huff, W. M. Saterfield, S. I. Phillips, Riley Wilson, former national vaudeville star and well-known man about the state; Frank Martin, John Jumper, Fremo Smith and H. Ford.

MARY E. DEUFFIEND.

Entered into rest, in St. Louis, Mo., April 15, at the age of 58 years, Mary E. Deuffiend, beloved wife of Wm. B. Deuffiend, mother of Joseph E. Deuffiend and Mrs. Essie Sullivan Castor. Grandmother of the late Arthur C. Sullivan. Interment at Jones cemetery, Bellview, at 2 p. m. Thursday, April 19th from her daughter's, 426 Main street. Service by Rev. Meredith—Advt.

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ELIJAH SATTERFIELD BURIED
The funeral of Elijah W. Satterfield, aged 79 years, whose death occurred on Monday evening at his home at Dakota mines, took place this afternoon at 2:30 o'clock from the Pitcher church at Dakota and interment was made in the Pitcher cemetery by Undertaker Musgrave.

BRITISH SHIP LOSSES.

LONDON, April 18.—The weekly report of the British shipping losses issued today shows 19 vessels of more than 1,600 tons sunk and nine vessels of less than 1,600 tons. Twelve fishing vessels were also sunk.

"Fashion" News for Fairmont Women

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TONIGHT The Wolf of Los Alamos, the Missing Financier, The Daughter of "Gas House" Dan.